

From the Pastor's Pen...

How can I help you? I mean that sincerely. I want to know how I can help you know Christ and grow in Christ. The best thing I can do for you is faithfully preach and teach God's Word. I try to do that. But, it could be that you feel the need for some help in a more individual way. Perhaps you'd like help learning to pray or pray better. Perhaps you'd like help learning to read or study the Bible better. Perhaps you'd like help learning to lead in family worship. Perhaps you'd like help learning to share your faith. Perhaps you're struggling with a particular sin.

I want you to know that I am available to help you in your walk with God in any way that I can. Faithfully attending, worshiping and hearing the preaching of God's Word consistently and long term will address many of these issues. But, I am available to give you any individual help you may need. I can provide books and resources to help you with many areas of your Christian walk. If you have children asking about baptism and becoming a Christian, I can help with that.

I don't pretend to have all the answers. I won't be able to solve all of your theological dilemmas. But, I am here to serve you. I want you to thrive in your walk with God. If I can help, please call or come see me.

For the Gospel and the Glory of God!

Bro. Paul

Caleb's Connections...

Psalm 3:3-4

"But you, O Lord, are a shield about me, my glory, and the lifter of my head. I cried aloud to the Lord, and he answered me from his holy hill. Selah."

How comforting is this Psalm in our daily walk with God. Our God isn't a god that leaves us to fend for ourselves in this broken world. He is a God that defends His people and is our shield in the midst of battle. Not only that, but He is the source of glory and our righteousness. He is a God that delights in His people and gives good gifts. He also lifts our heads and gives us a joyful focus on Him! Lastly, He is a God that answers when we call out to Him! How amazing is it that the God of the universe will answer our calls and cries for help! Praise God that He provides and cares for His people!

Prayer Requests

- Pray that God would give us a spirit of rejoicing, prayer, and thanksgiving
- Pray that our students will use their schools as the mission field that God has given them

From what's on my heart,

Caleb

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🎵 Cory's Column...

²⁴ Very truly, I tell you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be judged but has crossed over from death to life.

John 5:24 NIV

Kid's Crossings Camp is finally upon us. This verse, John 5:24, is the central text to the ministry at Crossings. In fact, it is from this verse that they got their name. Jesus sets the Gospel so plainly here. Anyone who hears his word and believes is saved – saved from death and given eternal life, saved from judgement and given forgiveness. Jesus says "they have crossed over from death to life." What a glorious expression of God's redemption.

The staff and counselors at Crossings intentionally weave the Gospel into everything we do at camp. Before, during, and after all the activities, games, and meals, the campers are being asked how it all relates to Jesus and the Gospel. The campers are encouraged at every turn to think critically about and respond to the Gospel. It is incredible to witness.

Please pray often for our children and chaperones at camp, that as we have fun this week, the Gospel would take deeper root in us, and that our kids would cross over from death to life.

Always singing His praises!

Bro. Cory

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Katey's Korner...

Family Bible Challenge
52 Verses Every Christian Should Know

June 30-July 6 1 Peter 3:9
July 7-13 Luke 6:31
July 14-20 Psalm 56:3
July 21-27 John 5:24
July 28-Aug. 3 Colossians 3:12

OCC July Donations:

School Supplies
Small Note Books, Pencils, Pens, Pencil Sharpeners, Pencil Cases,
Paper, Crayons, Markers, Colored Pencils, Scissors, Glue Sticks
(A donation container is in the glass hallway.)

Kid University

Needing some folks to share your vast knowledge with our kiddos.
Dates that are open: July 24, August 7, 14, 21

Friday Funday

Friday, July 26, 9:00a.m.-5:00p.m.
Fayette Aquatic Center Fayette, Alabama
Cost \$10
For kids who have completed K-6th grade
(Preschool if accompanied by parent)
Lunch provided: sandwich, chips, drink
We will have plenty of snacks, so no extra money is needed.
Bring a modest swimsuit, towel and sunscreen
Sign up in the glass hallway by Wednesday, July 24.

Crossings Camp July 21-24

Please pray for our children & leaders

Love in Christ,

Katey

The Record Speaks

July 14, 2019

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| Sunday School Attendance | 100 |
| Guests | 4 |
| June Sunday School Avg. Attendance | 97 |
| June Income | \$36,461.53 |
| June Expense | \$24,344.83 |

The Lord's Additions

September 1, 2018 – August 31, 2019

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| By Letter | 8 |
| By Baptism | 3 |
| By Statement | |
| Total | 11 |

July Food Pantry Needs

Paper Towels, Shampoo, Soap, Canned Vegetables, Microwave Meals
(mashed potatoes, Dinty Moore, Ravioli, spaghetti, etc.), Individual
Fruit Juices, Nabs, Snack Size Raisins

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Wednesday Night's Kid University

is needing some folks to share your vast knowledge with our kids.  
Dates open are: July 24, August 7, 14, 21  
Please see Katey.

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Budget Requests End

Wednesday, August 7th, so please get those
turned in to the Finance Committee.
Finance Committee members are: Chuck Bunn, Pat Cappleman,
Beth Moore, and Jeff Seal

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For kids who have completed K-6<sup>th</sup> grade  
Sign up in the glass hallway by Wednesday, July 24<sup>th</sup>

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3rd Sunday Ushers

David Moore, Norman Bowen, Billy Lowry, Sr.,
David Cox, Bobby Wages, Greg Smith

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